BRIAN J. STRETCH (CABN 163973) 1 United States Attorney SARA WINSLOW (DCBN 457643) 2 Chief, Civil Division FILED 3 WENDY M. GARBERS (CABN 213208) Assistant United States Attorney MAY 17 2016 4 450 Golden Gate Avenue, Box 36055 5 San Francisco, California 94102-3495 SUSAN Y. SOONG CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT Telephone: (415) 436-6475 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA FAX: (415) 436-7234 6 wendy.garbers@usdoj.gov 7 Attorneys for United States of America 8 9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 IN RE: REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL 11 JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE APPLICATION FOR ORDER PURSUANT TURKISH MINISTRY OF JUSTICE ON 12 BEHALF OF THE 2ND CIVIL COURT OF TITLE 28 U.S.C. § 1782 13 PEACE OF EDIRNE IN THE MATTER OF SAMI AYTAV V. TUGCE AKSAL and AKSAL MIM. MUH. TUR. SAN. TIC. A.S. 14 15 16 17 Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1782 and the request from the Turkish Court for information from 18 Facebook, Inc., the United States of America petitions this Court for an order appointing Assistant 19 United States Attorney Wendy M. Garbers as Commissioner to collect evidence from witnesses within 20 the jurisdiction of this Court and to take such other action as is required to execute the request made by the Turkish Ministry of Justice on behalf of the Second Civil Court of Peace of Edirne, Turkey. 21 Facebook does not object to entry of the accompanying proposed order. 22 23 24 DATED: May 17, 2016 Respectfully submitted, 25 BRIAN J. STRETCH United States Attorney 26 By: /s/ Wendy M. Garbers 27 WENDY M. GARBERS Assistant United States Attorney 28 APPLICATION FOR ORDER PURSUANT TO TITLE 28 U.S.C. § 1782